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LATEST EDITION A DATE FAR REMOTE

Interest in the Next General Election in England.

PRINCE HATZFELD AND MISS CLARA HUNTINGTON MARRIED TO-DAY.

The Bridal Couple Leave on a Trip to Italy—Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria at Vienna—The Cophalena Explosion—France and Greece—Austria's Surplus—The Royal Wedding at Athens—Germany and the French Army Bill—The Pope's Congratulations to Miss Caldwell—A Disastrous Earthquake—Foreign News.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The probable date of the next general election, when the people will have an opportunity of again choosing between Toryism and Liberalism, is a matter of quite general discussion. A short time ago the preponderance of opinion was that a new election would be held within a year. This belief was based on the somewhat remarkable series of successes on the part of the Liberals in the “Bye” elections to fill occasional vacancies in the House of Commons. But late there has been a perceptible check to the tide of Liberal victory. It is not so much the defeat in the Brighton election, as the change in public feeling indicated in less obvious ways, that has put a damper upon the bright hopes of many of Mr. Gladstone's followers. As to Mr. Gladstone himself, it cannot be said that he has indulged in too sanguine views on this point. He has often been supposed by political friends to anticipate a too near approach of the elections, but this has been mainly due to a misunderstanding on their part, caused by his ever-buoyant enthusiasm and to the fact that until he penned the reference to Mr. Asquith, his desire for information, he had not felt called upon for a definite opinion. All the best authorities within reach appear to agree with him, now that

THE DATE IS FAR REMOTE, and that if the Liberal successes continue and affect the great issue, it will only be by stimulating the Government to undertake, from a feeling of alarm, measures which they are alike incompetent to frame or to carry forward with success. The misfortunes of the allied parties will, for the present, it is thought, tend to draw them more closely together, in order to put off as long as possible the evil day when they must reckon with the whole people. A very notable member of Parliament said yesterday that this would be their present feeling and that it would certainly hold for the next session. In the next session he believed the dissentient Liberals will accept anything or nothing at the programme of the Government. But this will follow the time of more precise prospects and of statements such as that to which Mr. Gladstone looks forward, and then the breaking up of the party will be complete. The conditions very much with a view which Mr. Parliament expressed in conversation lately, that next session will be the most critical for the Gladstone party, as far as the question of an Irish policy and that of the succeeding party will prove decisive and probably fatal.

The Royal Wedding at Athens.

ATHENS, Oct. 26.—The city yesterday was turned into a veritable flower garden in honor of the marriage of the Duke of Sparta and Sophie of Germany. The weather was exceptionally fine. Early in the morning the crowd of people began to pour into the city and all morning the streets were jammed. There were in the wedding march to the cathedral the Emperor and Empress of Germany, the King and Queen of Italy, the King and Queen of Denmark, the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Princess Victoria Maud of Wales, Marie of Prussia, Sophie of Bavaria, the Prince of Wales, Prince Victor of Wales, the Prince of Mecklenburg-Schwerin and the Prince and Princess of Saxony-Meiningen and a host of other royal personages. The wedding service was long and imposing.

The return of the wedding party from the cathedral was greeted along the streets by the greatest enthusiasm.

GERMAN PRESS COMMENTS.

BERLIN, Oct. 26.—The North German Gazette published a paper in congratulating Prince George and the Duke of Cambridge. The Vossische Zeitung dwells upon the fact that the match is a non-political one. Princess Sophie has followed the wishes of her heart.

The Hatzfeld-Huntington Nuptials.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The marriage of Prince Hatzfeld to Clara Huntington, daughter of Mr. Colgate Huntington of New York, took place to-day in the Catholic Oratory at Brompton. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Emanus. The wedding was private, only relatives and a few friends of the bride and groom being present. A wedding breakfast was given at the Gresham Hotel, London, at which Prince Hatzfeld and his bride started for Italy on their wedding tour.

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that he will decline to accept any minister's resignation.

The opera singer, L'Herbo, has been condemned to pay a fine of \$100 and costs to his American wife, now Victoria Dunaway.

EXTINCT A LOAN.

Mr. Parker, of New York, has been loaned directing that \$15,000,000 from the treasury be added to the \$5,150,000 roubles loaned to the Russian government. The amount of the loan of 1887, is owing to extinguish the \$6,000,000 roubles 5 per cent gold loan held by the Imperial Bank.

Germany.

BERLIN, Oct. 26.—The whole semi-official press renew its references to the French army bill, evidently with the view of influencing the Reichstag election.

WILL NOT BE A CANDIDATE.

Mr. Miguel, one of the leaders of the National Liberal party, announces that he will not be a candidate at the next Reichstag election.

Austria.

VIENNA, Oct. 26.—Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria has arrived here. He has succeeded in mollifying all the members of the Orleans family, including the Comte de Paris.

A SURPLUS.

It is semi-officially announced that the Austrian budget will show a surplus of \$1,750,000.

Italy.

ROMA, Oct. 26.—The Pope has sent to Miss Caldwell a valuable present and an autograph letter, congratulating her on her coming marriage to Prince Mure.

A GREEN BOOK OF ABYSSINIA.

A green book will be presented to the Chamber of Deputies containing the treaty entered into between Italy and King Menelik of Abyssinia.

Ireland.

DUBLIN, Oct. 26.—The term of imprisonment imposed on Dr. Tanner, Member of the House of Commons for Cork, who was convicted of offences under the Crimes Act, expired to-day and he was released.

Servia.

BELGRADE, Oct. 26.—The Minister of Finance will resign his office, because of his inability to reduce the budget.

The Dominion.

TORONTO, Oct. 26.—The Hon. Alexander Morris, ex-Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, died this morning.

DR. MASON'S SUITS.

A Prominent New York Physician's Charges Against His Wife.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Dr. Summer A. Mason of 125 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Street, who was an inmate of an Italian lunatic asylum a year ago last summer, has brought three suits against his wife, by which he seeks to recover a large amount of property, which he says has been wrongfully appropriated by her. He is separated from his wife now, but the basis of all the suits were in the allegation that while they were living together in Genoa in 1888, she got him into the lunatic asylum by conspiracy and by kidnapping him. By the time he got to the Italian Court, he had to seek the household property, which used to be in their home in Fifty-ninth street. Another in the same suit was for \$1,000 for the damage to his house. He says this money was taken by her for her own use when he intended to pay the expenses on a lunatic asylum for him. The suit with the coroner's inquest on the damages to his house has since been sold on foreclosure. In the third suit it is alleged that Foster L. Blackwell, ex-Assistant Minister of Justice of the County of St. Louis, is Mrs. Mason's counsel. He has a deed to Dr. Mason for a house on High Street, Brooklyn. This house belongs to Dr. Blackwell. Mrs. Mason claims it by right of inheritance. Col. William G. Beacher is Dr. Mason's lawyer. He says that Dr. Mason was brought from Italy to America, and when he was abroad, soon after they reached Genoa was taken ill. He did not speak Italian, but his wife did, and she took care of him. She must go to an institution for treatment, and found a lunatic asylum where he was horribly ill-used. Finally by dropping letters out of windows he got word to his brother, Dr. Blackwell, who got him released. His sanity was certified to in Paris by Dr. Brown-Scudder, and he returned to this country to find his property in his wife's name. Dr. Mason, says for her that Dr. Mason was not put in the Italian asylum by him, but by the authorities because he had tried to get him released from his hospital. She tried to get him released, but finally had to leave him while she came here to attend to business affairs.

BATTLE WITH A SHARK.

The Thrilling Experience of a Canadian at Esquimalt Harbor.

OTTAWA, Ontario, Oct. 26.—Mr. James Potts, formerly of this city, in writing to a friend here, sends the following account of his thrilling experience with a shark recently in Esquimalt Harbor, British Columbia. He says:

“At about 6 o'clock on Friday morning, while standing on the edge of a lighter I observed a large shark approaching, and as it swam up to me I saw it was a man-eating shark and I immediately a deep wound. In its blind fury, lashing about with pain, it dashed itself upon the beach. I called to my wife to bring another ax and she did so. The shark was still swimming. Before I could reach the spot, however, the shark had got ax again. Armed with an ax I waded into the water, wading deep and planted my foot firmly against a large rock to wait its approach. The shark was lucky in finding a deep wound; this was unlucky in finding the shark's side. Instead of retreating the shark turned over, opened its mouth and bit me again. The shark was then 10 feet long and I sprang ashore, caught up a boat hook and with my wife's assistance got the fish upon the beach and soon sent it to the sea. The shark was dead. We measured it and found it to be 12 feet long and 2 feet 6 inches across the middle. On opening it I found several salmon, a large fishhook and several stones in its stomach.

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The Sidewalk-Sweeping Nuisance Will Be Abated by Law.

STOREKEEPERS WHO DISREGARD THE COMFORT OF THE WALKING PUBLIC.

Street Commissioners Burnet Wants the Authority to Proceed—A General Objection to the Present Methods—How the Nuisance Can Be Avoided—Practices Which Cause Much Discomfort—Some Plain Talk From the Commissioner—Mayor Noonan on the Subject—Early Morning Street Scenes in St. Louis.

ing blocks, to club together and hire a man to sweep the sidewalks twice a day, and at such times as will afford the least inconvenience to the public.

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THE COMING GUESTS

How St. Louis Will Entertain the International Congress.

AN ELABORATE, AGREEABLE AND INSTRUCTIVE PROGRAMME LAID OUT.

The Visiting Delegates to Be Received at the Depot and Escorted to Their Hotel by a Deputation of Citizens—The Route to Be Illuminated—Preparations Complete for the Grand Reception at the Merchants' Exchange To-Night—Committees Having Charge of the Congressmen—Programme of Entertainments for To-Day and To-Morrow.

ARLY this morning the different committees having in charge the reception and entertainment of the delegates to the International American Congress began to make the final preparations for receiving the tourists, who will arrive at 6 o'clock this evening. Secretary Morgan of the Merchants' Exchange called at the Southern Hotel, where he had a conference with Messrs. H. C. Lewis and Clerk L. A. Harper in reference to the disposal of the members of the Pan-American Congress. Quarters have been reserved for them on the parlor floor, the best rooms in the house being placed at their disposal.

RECEIVING THE DELEGATES.

As soon as the party arrives at the hotel they will be escorted to their rooms, and within a short time dinner will be served in the ladies' ordinary. The spacious apartment has been beautifully decorated with the

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John B. Henderson.

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colors of the different countries represented, palms, potted plants and flowers will be placed in profusion about the halls and in the dining room, and an elaborate menu has been prepared for the occasion.

As soon as the Merchants' Exchange hall was closed, a host of workmen took possession of it, and before nightfall everything was in readiness for the reception of the guests. The entry will be made through the main entrance on Third street, the stairways and corridors being lined with palms and tropical plants. A large number of gas jets and electric lights have been put in place, and all the approaches will be most brilliantly illuminated.

In the hall the preparations for the reception are most elaborate. The flags of the various countries will be draped and fastened from the gallery, a splendid display of elaborate decorations will be made. The fountain will be completely inclosed in a mass of evergreens and potted plants and a lavish floral display will be made.

The International Congress will be received at the Merchants' Exchange promptly at 7 o'clock in the directors' room. The committee to escort the visitors to the Exchange will be on hand at the southern

entrance, and the reception will be on hand at the depot to meet the party as it arrives.

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SUGGESTING THE NAMES.

SILVER CONVENTION EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE RECEIVES INTERESTING LETTERS.

Mr. Ivan C. Michels Announces His Subject and His Scope—The Editor of the Albany "Journal" Writes of New-York—A List of Nominees for Delegates-at-Large.

THE time is now rapidly approaching when the National Silver Convention to be held in this city will be called to order. Letters received from the Governors of the different States show that they are generally doing everything in their power to make the convention a success, and to see that the representation of several of them do not feel like making direct ap-

points, where not directed to do so by law, and where no appropriation is made for their expenses, but they express a willingness to suggest to the Executive Committee the names of gentlemen who will attend and who may be appointed by that committee. The invitation Committee has prepared a list of gentlemen to invite, and these invitations will be sent out this week. The Entertainment Committee holds an adjourned meeting Wednesday evening, and will then probably decide upon the programme to be recommended to the Executive Committee.

Secretary Singer this morning received the following letter from

Mr. Ivan C. Michels,

in reply to an invitation sent to him to be present and read a paper, and to also suggest the names of other gentlemen:

UNITED STATES SENATE, WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 26, 1889.

A. Singer, Esq., St. Louis, Mo., Secretary National Silver Convention.

DEAR SIR—I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your favor of the 23d inst. In reply I beg to advise that with the consent of the Executive Committee I will be greatly pleased to address the convention on:

"The Silver and Gold Question; A Plea for Bi-Metalism." This will give me scope to argue the question, and to mark, against the cheapness of silver, etc. In fact I shall come fully prepared to answer any reasonable question appealing to gold.

In Council hills and kindred subjects in the interest not only of silver, but American interests in gen-

It is with pleasure I read the list of questions and arguments to be discussed at the convention. Allow me to suggest the following gentlemen, to whom I think an invitation to address the convention would be well to extend:

Senator John B. Jones of Nevada, Gold Hill, Story City, Iowa.

Ex-Senator Nathaniel P. Hill, Denver, Colo.

Senator John H. Reagan of Texas, for the present at the Remond, Washington, V. C. San Jose, Calif.

Daniel Lyons, from Alabama, residence, Wheeler, Ala.

Hon. R. L. Mills, M. C., Corsicana, Tex.

W. H. Cheyney, 220 South Fourth street, Philadelphia.

W. A. Clark, a delegate, Butte, Mont.

Oscar C. Gifford, M. C., Canton, Mass.

J. W. Labourne, New Orleans, La., 129 Com-

mon street.

E. Holden, 18 Commerce building, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Judge W. H. Shaws, Santa Fe, N. M.

C. G. Davis, editor and publisher Leadville Herald, Leadville, Colo.

W. H. Connor, St. Joseph, Mo.

Hon. D. H. Armstrong, (ex-Senator), St. Louis.

Lod. San Fran. Rue de Bichetain, Paris, France.

Ex-Senator James Fair, San Francisco, Calif.

Moreton Frawen, Esq., 18 Chapel street, London, England.

Hon. A. C. Miller, 535 North Forty-fifth street, Philadelphia.

Prof. Adolph Soetbeer, Goettingen, Ger-

many.

Karl Allard, Brussels, Belgium.

Koschiel, Basle, Switzerland.

Dr. Arentz, Berlin, Germany.

Hon. George G. Beldorf, ex-member of Congress, Denver, Colo.

Judge Joseph Sheldon, New Haven, Conn.

Hon. E. Ferry, Park City, Utah.

John W. Mackay, San Francisco, Calif.

Always at your service. I remain yours truly,

IVAN C. MICHELS.

FOR DELIVERY AT LARGE

The following communication has been received by the Executive Committee:

Geo. H. Loker, St. Louis.

Lee Crandall, Washington, D. C.

John Thompson, Esq., Vice-President Chase National Bank, New York City.

Hon. A. E. Stevenson, ex-Assistant Postmaster-General, Washington, D. C.

Mr. W. H. Davidson, Ark., Winston County, Miss.

Miss Gilmore, Esq., San Diego, Cal.

Mr. A. E. Redstone, Vinalia, Cal.; present address Washington, D. C.

Dr. H. N. Howard, Maine; present address, Washington, D. C.

Hon. George W. Ladd, Bangor, Me.

William Wheeler Hobell, LL. D., Vir-

ginia; present address, Washington, D. C.

Gen. Wm. L. Ladd, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Capt. Wm. G. Pike (son of Albert Pike), Wash-

D. C. Gatling (inventor of the Gatling gun), Hartford, Conn.

Hon. John Scott, Times, O.

Hon. George G. Beldorf, Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. J. W. James, Chattanooga, Tenn.

Col. Andrew J. Kellar, Beaver, Ky.

Col. J. C. Clegg, New Bedford, Ill.

Miss Jessie Harper, Danville, Tex.

Hon. B. J. Chambers, Texarkana, Tex.

Col. R. W. Rutledge, New Orleans, La.

Mr. T. J. Sharp, Indianapolis, Ind.

Hon. Richard Gregg, Augusta, Ind.

Mr. J. Head, Columbus, Ga., Columbus, S. C.

FROM NEW YORK

A very encouraging letter was received this morning, directed to the Chairman of the Executive Committee, as follows:

Evening Journal, Albany, N. Y., Oct. 24.

DEAR SIR—The Journal sympathizes heartily with the movement in favor of bringing a bill in the general reorganization of the revenue laws. It fully realizes the important bearing of the silver question on the agricultural and the other debtor classes at the present juncture. The feeling toward silver in this state is decidedly favorable, within a radius of half a mile from Wall street. The sound views of United States Senator Morgan have made a strong impression on the minds of the New York public. If I can assist you any way don't hesitate to ask it.

GRANGER, N. S. COOPER, Editor Journal.

There were also several other encouraging letters by this morning's mail.

Diphtheria and Scarlet Fever.

Lawrence, Mass., Oct. 28.—The spread of diphtheria and scarlet fever in this city has become so alarming that in all the Cathole

churches the priests yesterday warned the people not to visit from house to house any person who was suspected of having the disease, and the funerals of the victims of these diseases will be allowed from the churches.

CHILDREN'S finest cassimere and worsted suits, tailor-made, \$4 and \$5, this week. Fine brass drums from \$1 to \$2.

GLOUCESTER, 705 to 715 Franklin av.

CHURCH DEDICATION.

The First Presbyterian Formally Opened Church News.

The new First Presbyterian Church at Sarah street and Washington avenue was dedicated yesterday morning. Established in 1816, and being identified with every portion of the city's history, the removal to the West End is an important one. The new edifice is a beautiful one, and has already been described in the Post-DISPATCH. The attendance at the dedication service was very large.

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AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

OLYMPIC—"The Burglar."
GRAND OPERA-HOUSE—"He, She, Him, Her."
PROFESSOR'S—"Fabio Roman."
STANDARD—"Hyde's Specialty Co."

Subscribers receiving the POST-DISPATCH
ly will confer a favor by reporting to
this office any latencies in the delivery of their
papers, or any irregularity or other cause of
complaint, in order that the same may receive
prompt attention.

Weather forecast for twenty-four
hours, commencing at 8 a. m. to-day,
for Missouri: Fair; warmer; southeast
winds.

The dust-raising nuisance must be abolished.

The citizens of St. Louis should be protected from the assault of the Broom
Brigade.

The usual "scoop" and the usual superiority over all competitors were unusually prominent in yesterday's SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

All St. Louisans unite in extending a cordial welcome to the Pan-American delegates. St. Louis belongs to them during their visit.

BREATHING the flying filth of stores and sidewalks is not a good preparation for a day's work, and citizens should be relieved from the necessity of doing so by the city authorities.

The rumor that Private Secretary Hall-wood has resigned is denied, but it is not denied that serving as a buffer between the President and the howling mob of office-seekers has broken down his health.

The New York WORLD should supplement its prize for the best World's Fair idea with a prize for the biggest World's Fair subscription. Some millionaire might be induced to give something if the prize were big enough.

The "tin spelling book" enables a party worker to direct an illiterate voter how to vote under the Australian ballot system, but it does not enable him to see that he votes his way. The chief advantage of the Australian system is that it secures secrecy and thus encourages independence in voting.

BARON REUTER and the other partners in the great Persian Bank monopoly are not so proud of their big bonanza as they were when they first obtained the concession from the Shah. Since his return home he has concluded that if a monopoly is a good thing it cannot be granted to too many companies, and so he has conferred the same privileges on a Russian company and stands ready to consider other applicants' offers.

WHILE the crops have been fine in nearly every part of the country the Dakota farmers have been unable to raise anything on account of drought. An appeal has been sent out in their behalf. They must suffer terrible hardships from cold and hunger the coming winter unless they are relieved. The fact that the Dakotas have just been admitted to the sisterhood of States should be a stimulus additional to humane generosity to give them liberal aid.

EX-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND changed his residence in New York just at the right time to deprive himself of a vote. Mr. CLEVELAND in forming his plans may not have had this object in view, but from a policy standpoint it was an excellent move. It transpires that the inspectors of election in his former district had arranged to mark the ex-President's ticket, and it might have been awkward to have it figure in the next campaign for the presidential nomination.

The guess we welcome to-day are entitled to more consideration than they would be if they were among them all the crowns in Europe. They represent the young Republics of the New World, a civilized population of 46,000,000 souls, a foreign commerce of \$75,000,000, and an area of 7,900,144 square miles of infinite resources, destined to be soon the seat of a population and of a civilization superior to those of Europe. They represent the founders of new nations, Republics like our own, the builders of the New World that is to be, and as such St. Louis gives them a hearty welcome than the people of this

country would ever extend to an equal number of the most famous kings or conquerors the Old World ever produced.

AWAY WITH THE DUST.

The greatest part of the dirt and dust nuisance has been abated by municipal street sweeping and sprinkling, but a remnant remains. It exists in the custom of sweeping stores and sidewalks at hours when the streets are crowded with pedestrians and when the filth must remain in the gutters during nearly the entire day.

It is a most unwholesome and unpleasant custom. The time usually selected for this work is early in the morning when people are going to their daily occupations, and it compels them to dodge brooms, sprinkling-cans and sweepers, and to pass through blinding and choking clouds of filthy dust. The practice in great measure detracts from the magnificence of our municipal street sweeping and sprinkling, which have given St. Louis the cleanest streets of any city in the Union.

The only way to stop it is by means of a comprehensive and effective ordinance regulating the time and manner of sweeping sidewalks and houses. There is an ordinance at present forbidding the sweeping of the filth from houses on the sidewalks, but it contains no provision with reference to sidewalk sweeping nor with reference to the time of sweeping. This ordinance is insufficient and is practically a dead letter. The police pay no attention to it and the broom brigade assault the health and comfort of citizens without check.

Street Commissioner BURNETT says that with a proper ordinance on the subject the nuisance can be reduced to a minimum, by providing that the work be done at an hour when it will be least disturbing to the people and when the filth will be removed promptly by the street sweeping machines. This is a "consumption devoutly to be wished," and the Municipal Assembly should meet the wishes of the public by passing the desired ordinance at the earliest possible moment.

RECOGNIZED AS THE BEST.

The demand for the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH yesterday sent its circulation up several thousand copies, but while the increase was unusually great, it was only in the line of the steady, rapid growth which has marked every issue of the paper.

Yesterday's SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH was full of bright interest which was exclusive to itself. The history of the Hatzfeld-Huntington engagement, with a full sketch of the disgraceful career of Prince HATZFELD was a feature of the paper scarcely touched by its competitors.

The story of the alleged conspiracy to deprive Engineer JOHN ROSS of his freedom by means of a certificate of insanity was an interesting piece of local news published exclusively in the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH. It would be a remarkable occurrence for a week to pass without the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH scooping all of its competitors.

be everybody to the jail and entered that haven of safety with so many flesh wounds in his person and bullet holes in his clothes that he straightway relented and was married to the determined girl as soon as license and preacher could be brought to the jail.

Lotharios who do not wish to be hunted into matrimony in this alarming way will hereafter be careful about going a wooing in Kansas for fun.

THE Engineering and Building Record,

giving the results of an investigation of its own into the whole subject of electric light wires, overhead and subway, in New York City, reaches the conclusion that "the overhead wires in their generally 'prevailing' condition are a menace to human life; their burial in subways is the only really efficient way in which they can be made comparatively harmless; and their better protection—insulation, in other words—while still strung on poles, awaiting the completion of underground conduits, is imperative 'demanded.' Where a license has been granted to carry on a dangerous business in an extremely dangerous way, the mere fact that the authorities failed to realize the risks in advance is certainly no reason why the police power should not be energetically used to abate the danger and protect life. Hesitation or feeble action in such an emergency is almost identical with willful murder.

HERE at St. Louis the representatives of Spanish America will see the great city and commercial center of the grand Mississippi Valley, with its mighty river pouring its ceaseless floods over in the direction of their homes. They must see in that river route through the Gulf of Mexico to the ports of Mexico and Central and South America their natural line of cheap transportation to the center of North American commerce and production. As they wonder why it is not already bearing a rich commerce between our people and theirs, they will have the consolation of knowing that our "back number" tariff, the only obstruction, is doomed.

FASHIONABLE women this winter will be as shaggy as a bear. All smooth dress material is to be neglected.

MR. AND MRS. HAYNER of Buskirk, N. Y., weigh 72 pounds—Mrs. H., who is the better-half, weighing 40.

MRS. ZERELDA WALLACE is lecturing in Louisiana on Woman Suffrage under the patronage of the W. C. T. U.

MRS. RACHEL SHERMAN, the General's youngest daughter, will spend the winter with Minister Whitelaw Reid in Paris.

MARY ANDERSON has won a high position as a maker of bread. She writes to the London Times giving her recipe for the staff of life.

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STILL A PRISONER.

John Ross Behind Bolts and Bars
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HIS FRIENDS WILL MAKE AN EFFORT TO
SECURE HIS RELEASE.

The Prisoner-Patient Interviewed, but De-
clines to Make a Statement Concerning the
Conspiracy Which He Hints Has
Been Entered Into to Send Him to an
Insane Asylum—Mrs. Ross Reported as
Saying She Will Never Live With Him
Again—The Will Destroyed—Some Queer
Stories.

John Ross, who was arrested last Thursday at 4205 North Market street, is still behind bolts and bars at the City Hospital and no steps have yet been taken by the authorities looking to his release or final examination into his mental condition. Dr. Warren G. Priest, who examined him at the Four Courts, said he saw no signs of insanity and Ross was sent to the City Hospital. He arrived there as a patient confined under orders from the city for insanity and Dr. Dalton had him locked up in a cell, where he now is. Dr. Dalton says that Ross talks in a perfectly rational manner. It now develops that the will Ross made, to cut off his wife in case she married again, has been destroyed, and his wife declared to a friend that she would never live with her husband again if he was released, but she refused to say why. Tommy Gibson now claims to have authority to sell Ross' property, though Ross says he never gave any such authority, but is locked up in the health authorities are not troubling themselves to find out whether she has the right to keep him or not. So if Gibson chooses to sell, anything Ross has, Ross will be powerless to prevent it.

John Ross had a long conversation with a Post-Dispatch reporter to-day and talked like a sane, rational man. Nothing in his manner, nothing of what he said, suggested insanity, and Dr. Dalton, who was present, saw no evidences of a mind disordered. Ross still talks as though he was the victim of a conspiracy, and says that relatives are at the bottom of his trouble. Dr. Dudley, who has been his attorney, says that though the case has been a big sensation, and there is more than plenty of evidence to warrant an examination, Dr. Dudley has taken no steps to release him. He is a sane man, or to find out whether he is the proper subject for the asylum.

Gibson says he will not release him to his wife. His friends are disposed to believe that Dr. Shaw was imposed on persons who told him the story of his alleged attempt to poison his wife and Thomas Gibson. He expresses his entire confidence in his wife. The case will go to show that the man is not insane.

SOME QUERIES STORIES.

John and his husband, friends of his, and former patients, who are in the same house with him, called to see Ross yesterday, convinced that a gross injustice had been done him. They have known him for six years, have seen him frequently, and have never seen any signs of inattention or insanity.

They were familiar with the household affairs of Ross, having lived in the same house with the family for a long time, but of their domestic relations they declined to speak. To-day to-day made the following statement:

"We want to see Mr. Ross yesterday, and saw nothing to indicate he was not in his mind. He was perfectly rational, and in a long conversation which we had he said nothing and did nothing that was not of a crazy man. We know that Dr. Ross is in charge of Ross that he was not noticed the story of his alleged attempt to poison his wife and Thomas Gibson. He expresses his entire confidence in his wife. The case will go to show that the man is not insane."

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"I am sorry, and I can't cause him any surprise, and he calmly answered: "One morning I brought home some butter which I bought in the market early in the morning. We had some bread and butter at home and set it on the table. My wife put it in a dish and we sat down to breakfast. I did not eat my meal, and my wife said, 'I spread a slice of bread with it and started to eat. My little boy, Robbie, also took some, and after tasting it, said it was bad. 'It's bad, and we can't eat it. We also had the butter for supper, and for breakfast the next morning. We had some bread and butter at home and set it on the table. My wife put it in a dish and we sat down to breakfast. I did not eat my meal, and my wife said, 'I spread a slice of bread with it and started to eat. My little boy, Robbie, also took some, and after tasting it, said it was bad. 'It's bad, and we can't eat it. We also had the butter for supper, and for breakfast the next morning. 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The Trades.

WANTED—Your work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—One carpenter. 4944 St. Louis av.

WANTED—Carpenter, Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock. 412 N. 7th st.

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Cooks, etc.

WANTED—Situation by a strong, reliable woman as cook; call at once. 516 N. 12th st.

WANTED—Situation by a girl in a private family to cook, wash and iron. 517 N. 23d st. Call for two days.

Laundresses.

You want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Situation to wash and iron. 2208 1/2 Vision st.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A nice intelligent girl wants a good home with children; need answer. Address by letter, Miss Julia Green, St. Louis Post-Office.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

Stenographers.

WANTED—Competent lady stenographer and type writer, who can furnish machine; call Tuesday morning, Room 6, 618 Pine st.

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WANTED—A lady to work on custom coat that can work fine button holes and sew on machine; good wages paid. Call 1122 N. 12th st., in rear.

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WANTED—A first-class girl, one as cook and one as house girl. 3405 Morgan st.

WANTED—An American girl to cook, wash and iron; good family.

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WANTED—A woman or girl who knows how to make homemade bread; good wages. Apply at 3883 Finney av.

Nurses.

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WANTED—Young nurse girl at 1126 N. Channing av.

WANTED—Nurse girl to take care of infant. 2845 Park av.

WANTED—A young woman as nurse; ref. required. Apply between 9 and 12 a. m. Tuesday morning. 3017 Olive st.

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WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3045 Easton av.

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WANTED—White girl for general housework. 1421 Laurel st.

WANTED—A house girl for a boarding-house. 1105 S. 11th st.

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. Apply 1107 S. 11th st.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 3889 Washington av.

WANTED—Lady to do general housework. Apply 3637 Fisher st.

WANTED—A strong German girl for general housework. 3031 Olivet st.

WANTED—A girl for general housework; small family. 1105 N. 23d st.

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WANTED—A good girl for general housework. Apply 406 Morgan st., up-stairs.

WANTED—German girl for general housework. 1510 Washington av.

WANTED—A good girl for general housework; wages; \$1.25. Apply 2229 Olive st.

WANTED—German girl for general housework; wages paid to good girl. 2616 Russell av.

WANTED—Young woman to go to the country. Apply 3424 Olive st.

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Second Floor Delicatessen Building.

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CITY NEWS.

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Dr. E. C. Chase,
Corner of 9th & Olive streets. Set of teeth, \$2.

Private matters skillfully treated and medicines furnished. Dr. Dinsbier, 615 Pine st.

RAILROAD NEWS.

rumors of another great alliance—end of a rate war.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 28.—The Boston News Bureau says: The Union Pacific-Northwestern traffic alliance may hasten the consummation of a yet greater railroad alliance between the C. B. & Q., C. B. & N., and the Manitoba, west of Chicago, with the Pennsylvania Railroad system east of Chicago. President Hill of the St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, has long been at work upon this union, and the recent merging of the Manitoba and C. B. & Q. by large banking interests in New York has been with this end in view. This will be a great step in the direction of uniting the great railroad systems for the whole country.

Called a truce.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 28.—The report that the Boston & Albany and Fitchburg roads have called a truce in their battle over West-bound rates is pronounced authentic on good authority. Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt was in Boston Saturday and it is supposed the cessation of the rate war is a result of his visit.

BOYS' READY-MADE SUITS.

New Department.

We sell boys' and children's ready-made clothing at very low prices. We sell children's suits for \$5, \$6, \$7 and \$8; boys' suits for \$7, \$8, \$10 and \$12. This is a new department in our business and we want your trade for boys' and children's ready-made clothing.

MILLS & AVERILL,
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IDA FLORINE NEWCOMBE-LEDERER. The Lady's Father Appointed Guardian
Fighting Legal Proceedings.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Ida Florine Newcombe-Lederer has had her father, Lawyer Richard S. Newcombe, appointed her guardian ad litem in order that she may bring suit for the annulment of her marriage with Theatrical Manager George W. Lederer on the ground that he had a wife living when the ceremony was performed. In her petition she says that she is 18 years old, that she was married to Lederer at Dutchkillis, Long Island, on the 11th of November, 1888, and that she has information and belief she slanders that on October 25, 1888, at Buffalo, Lederer was married to Clara E. Burd of Chester, and has since lived with her in the metropolis. She states that further than participating in the marriage ceremony at Dutchkillis, she has entered upon no marital relation whatever with Lederer. The court appointing Mr. Newcombe was granted by Judge Andrews.

Duck Shooting.

At this season of the year one of the most pleasing sports is duck shooting, and the banks of the Mississippi River afford the lovers of this sport the greatest facilities. Those who enjoy this pastime should call at the office of the "Burlington Route," St. L., K. & N.W.R., and obtain information as to the points on its line where the best shooting is offered. They have arranged for low rates to different points where the ducks are the thickest. At least 200 miles of their line runs along the river where the sportsman can indulge in this most exciting of sports. This road also runs solid through trains of free chair cars and Pullman sleepers to St. Joseph and Denver and through sleepers and free chair cars to Kansas City. Solid through trains to St. Paul and Minneapolis.

An application to the ticket office at No. 112 North Fourth street, any and all information will be given to parties regarding the Burlington Route.

A TOTAL LOSS.

Destruction of the Artificial Ice Factory at Springfield, Mo.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Oct. 28.—The Frick artificial ice factory was totally destroyed by fire this morning. The factory was built last spring at a total cost of \$40,000 and was the first of the kind to be erected in Southwest Missouri. There was a large quantity of ammonia in the building, which exploded shaking the buildings for several hundred yards around, and like an earthquake. There was \$15,000 insurance on the factory complete. The origin of the fire is unknown.

A. R. S. suit, 65 cents. Good Cheviet and cassimere suits, \$1.45, \$2, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00 this week.

GLOBE, 705 to 715 Franklin av.

THE FIGHT IN MONTANA.

Democrats Determined to Have the Rejected ed Returns Counted.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 28.—The Journal's Hesia (Mont.) special says: The application of the Democrats to the Supreme Court for a writ of mandamus compelling the Canvassing Board of Silver Bow County to receive and count the rejected returns in the Tunnel District has been denied on technical defects in the application. The points were made this morning by the Republican attorneys. The Democratic lawyers were unable to adduce, and pending a decision the court adjourned till 2 o'clock this afternoon.

A Fatal Quarrel.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 28.—A Times-Standard from Oregon, Warren County, O., says: Harry Dowdall of Fort Ancient, was shot and killed last night by Mike Curley, section foreman of the Little Miami farm on a quarrel and Dowdall now a revolver. Curley took it from him and then shot him.

SPRINGFIELD NURSERY, C. E. Hayes, D. Luke and M. D. Wilson, Agents, are delivering at Ferguson 4,000 trees; Baden, 3,000 trees; Forest Park, 1,500 trees. Best lot ever brought to St. Louis County. Will continue to sell for spring delivery.

Diphtheria at Greenfield, III.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

GREENFIELD, Ill., Oct. 28.—The doctors report fourteen cases of diphtheria this morning. Several children have already died from the disease. Three rooms of the public school were dismissed this morning to prevent the spreading of the disease.

Hosford's Acid Phosphate.

1000 cases.

To Conductors and Gripmen

We have made up a line of

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To which we call your attention. They are made of STANDARD MIDDLESEX BLUE BEAVER, full indigo, color guaranteed. Coats and Vests with loose facings and eyelets. Our price to you is

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THE BURGLAR TRIUMPHS.

M. GUS THOMAS' PLAY SCORES AN UNQUAL FIRED SUCCESS.

Both the Drama and the Company Give Cordial Approval at the Olympic—Farce-Comedy, Melodrama and Variety at the Other Theaters—The Postponement of Nat Goodwin's Appearance at Pape's.

Mr. Gus Thomas, the author of "The Burglar," has every reason to be satisfied with the reception of his comedy drama in his native city.

Its initial performance at the Olympic last evening was attended by one of the largest opening audiences of the season, and by popular approval as spontaneous and sincere as it was enthusiastic. All who went to the theater out of regard for the author stayed to the fall of the curtain out of regard for the play. It scored an unqualified success. The author was called before the curtain after the second act, and the members of the company shared with him in the enthusiastic appreciation of the audience.

Mr. Thomas' success is not measured solely by popular approval. It reaches beyond to a high point of artistic excellence. The touch of the artist is manifest in his work. It combines simplicity, naturalness, suggestiveness, with quiet effectiveness and forcible fundamental elements of true art. With strong temptation to use them, Mr. Thomas has avoided妙技 and superficial devices to gain effects. He depends upon the natural development of the actions of the play and the elements in human nature and human life which touch the springs of emotion. He deals with crime and the repulsive phases of life entered into the plot of the play with a refinement and delicacy which are admirable. The heart so powerfully that there were few dry eyes in the theater during the pathetic scenes of the conscience-stricken burglar and his child.

Edward Wheeler and Charles R. Thompson were dressed \$5 and costs 20¢ for disturbing the peace.

Mrs. M. M. Stephen and Mrs. Dr. Jennings had a room from W. D. C.

The C. O. held a meeting yesterday and invited several new members.

The new Franklin School building is nearing completion. The interior room in which it is in position was begun this morning. The board is hopeful of being able to open the building in ten days. It is a fair simile of the building on St. Louis Avenue and Tenth street.

The injunction proceedings in the Circuit Court began by Louis F. D. Gillham, of this city, to restrain the city from demolishing the viaduct over the Broadway railroad crossings and Coshick Creek, was decided in favor of the city.

Edward Woolf was arrested last night on a warrant sworn to by Peter Schotz, in which Woolf is charged with stealing a silver watch and chain.

The first entertainment of a series under the management of the Y. M. C. A. will be given at their hall Saturday evening.

Edward L. Thompson, 20, of Lindenwood College, and his pupil will furnish the leading features of the entertainment.

The one-act sketch out of which "The Burglar" was constructed was originally fanatical and didactic, but was rendered more plausible and improbable. To take the daintily imaginative sketch and develop it into a play which shall appear natural and be strong was a task well performed.

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